

**MINUTES OF THE
GEORGIA COMPOSITE BOARD OF PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS,
SOCIAL WORKERS AND MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS
September 10, 2004**

The Georgia Composite Board of Professional Counselors, Social Workers and Marriage and Family Therapists met on Friday, September 10, 2004, at 237 Coliseum Drive, Macon, Georgia. This meeting was called to order at 9:05 a.m. with the following members present:

MEMBERS PRESENT

Patricia Harwell, MFT, Chair
Joan Fryer, LPC, Vice-Chair
Joyce Evans, Consumer
Eric Groh, LPC
Janet H. Lenard, CSW
Jan Ligon, CSW
Donald M. Syfert, L.P.C.

****Eric Groh was present on August 5, 2004 to review files.

****Christus Powell was present on September 8, 2004 to review files.

MEMBERS ABSENT

Helen W. Coale, CSW
William Carlos Jackson, MFT
Christus Powell, MFT

STAFF PRESENT

Lee Tracy, Executive Director
Sandy Stembridge, Applications Specialist
Dena Kirkman, Board Secretary

GUESTS

Gale Macke, LPCA Executive Director
Sonia Torretto, LPCA President

EXECUTIVE SESSION

At 11:45 a.m. motion Syfert, seconded Lenard, and the Board voted to enter into **Executive Session** in accordance with O.C.G.A. 43-1-2-(k) and 43-1-19(h) to deliberate on applications and enforcement matters and to receive information on applications and investigative reports. Voting in favor of the motion were those present who included Board members Harwell, Evans, Fryer, Groh, and Ligon. The Board **concluded** **Executive Session** in order to vote on these matters and to continue with the public session.

INVESTIGATIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

COMP020024 Recommends closing case.

ATTORNEY GENERAL'S REPORT

Janet Wray, Assistant Attorney General, reported that the process is ongoing to appoint an Assistant Attorney General for the Composite Board.

OPEN SESSION**EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S REPORT**

Ms. Tracy reported that all Chairs of all Boards with the Professional Licensing Boards Division will receive a letter from Secretary of State Cathy Cox concerning a meeting to be held on November 4, 2004. Ms. Tracy explained the nature of the meeting.

MINUTES

Motion Fryer, seconded Syfert and motion carried, to approve the minutes of the August 13, 2004 meeting.

MISCELLANEOUS

Discussion was held concerning creating an Exam to be part of the licensure requirements for the Composite Boards Laws and Rules. Discussion will continue at October meeting.

THE BOARD MOVED TO ACCEPT THE FOLLOWING REPORTS:

Motion Harwell, seconded Syfert and motion carried, to accept the **Marriage and Family Therapy Standards Report.**

MARRIAGE AND FAMILY THERAPISTS

Gaughf, Barbara (exam waiver/AMFT)	Pending corrected info
Newton, Barbara (change of director)	Approved
Sexton, Melissa (2 nd review/additional info rec.)	Denied

Motion Frye, seconded Evans and motion carried, to accept the **Licensed Professional Counselors Standards Report.**

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MISCELLANEOUS

Caldwell, Christopher – LPC	Petition for waiver – must vote	Denied
McMahan, Dianne – APC	Request Board to approve director because had been approved previously for another applicant	- Approved
Jordan, Toni – LPC	Repeat exam (not taken since 2001). Just request approval and exam fee or complete another application with fee and exam fee.	- Approved
Watters, LaTonya – LPC	Repeat exam taken 4X previously	- Approved

ASSOCIATE PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS

Bates, Sarah (exam waiver)	Additional info needed
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Bedi, Maninder	Additional info needed
Bethune, Penny (2 nd review/additional info rec)	Approved
Busby, Erin (exam waiver)	Approved
Douglas, Paul (change of supv/dir)	Approved
Dowell, Kathryn (exam)	Additional info needed
Fickle, Amy (exam)	Approved
Gaines, Yolanda (exam waiver)	Approved
Garner, Betsy (2 nd review/additional info rec)	Approved
Heys, Samuel (change of supv/dir)	Approved
Hipona, Grace (exam waiver)	Approved
Howard, Brenda (exam)	Approved
Johnson, Terra (change of supv/dir)	Approved
Leslie, Yvonne (exam)	Approved
Morris, Kimberly (exam)	Approved
Nowell, Joseph (exam waiver)	Approved
O'Neal, Leigh (exam)	Approved
Ogletree, Susan (2 nd review/additional info rec)	Approved
Renshaw, Sharon (exam)	Approved
Samples, Alaina (exam)	Approved
Spina, Wanda (exam)	Approved
Whitman, Angelle (exam waiver)	Approved

PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS

Calvert, Kristin (endorsement)	Approved
Campbell, Laverne (2 nd review/additional info rec)	Reevaluate
Chabib, Joan (exam)	Approved
Curtas, Brett (exam)	Denied
Deljoo, Victoria (exam waiver/ APC)	Approved
Dickson, Walda (reactivate-2 nd review)	Approved
Dulaney, Bonnett (exam waiver-reevaluation request)	Approved
Edwards-Palmer, Wendy (exam)	Denied
Gilbert, Kendra (exam waiver/APC-2 nd review)	Approved
Granberry, Anthony (exam)	Denied
Hane, Anne (exam waiver)	Denied
Hein, Maureen (exam waiver/APC)	Approved
Hendrix, Lori (endorsement)	Approved
Hunley, James (exam waiver/APC)	Approved
Lotson, Roger (exam waiver/APC)	Approved
Mansfield, Steven (exam waiver/APC)	Approved
Mask, Suzanne (exam waiver-2 nd review)	Approved
McAbee, Sam (exam waiver)	Denied
McDaniel, Kara (endorsement)	Approved
McKeehan, Stephanie (exam)	Approved
Nunnally, Sharon (exam waiver/APC)	Approved
Peek, Mandi (exam waiver/APC-2 ND review)	Approved
Pendry, Patricia (reactivation)	Approved

Petite, Catherine (exam waiver/APC)	Approved
Reed, Milla (exam-2 nd review)	Approved
Salter, Lois (reactivation)	Denied
Sampat, Milan (exam waiver)	Approved
Schramm, John (exam waiver)	Approved
Stewart, Olivia (exam waiver)	Approved
Ward, Jodi (exam waiver)	Denied
Whitmore, Anique (exam waiver/APC)	Approved
Wick, Lynda (endorsement)	Approved
Wise, Christine (exam waiver/APC)	Approved

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MISCELLANEOUS

Caldwell, Christopher–LPC Petition for waiver	Denied
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ASSOCIATE PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS

Bates, Sarah (exam waiver/additional info rec.)	Approved
Bedi, Maninder (exam/additional info rec.)	Approved
Bayne, Molly	Approved
Chestnut, Heather	Approved
Crawley, Tashika	Approved
Davis, Erica (exam)	Approved
Dorsett-Benjamin, Marcia (exam)	Approved
Dowell, Kathryn (exam/additional info rec.)	Approved
Drakon, Seam (change of director/additional info rec.)	Approved
Edwards, Deborah (exam)	Approved
Eichelberger, Kathy (exam)	Approved
Eiland, Hollie (change of director)	Approved
Forrister, Jennifer	Approved
Gilbert, Dane (exam waiver)	Approved
Graham, Candy (exam)	Approved
Holland, Susan (exam)	Approved
Johnson, Susan (change of director)	Approved
Kordansky, Jessica (exam)	Approved
McGehee, Diane (exam waiver)	Approved (conditional)
Pilares, Solange (change of director)	Approved
Pruett, John (exam waiver)	Approved
Rosovsky, Susan (exam)	Approved
Saunders, Tamika (exam)	Approved
Schultheis, Julie (exam)	Approved
Tallman, Courtney (exam)	Approved
Von der Heide, Paula (exam)	Approved
Whitley, Dyan (exam)	Denied

PROFESSIONAL COUNSELORS

Adams, Andrea (2 nd review/additional info rec./exam waiver/APC)	Approved
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Adams, William (endorsement)	Approved
Ames, Kimberly (exam waiver)	Approved
Brown, Michael (exam waiver/APC)	Approved
Bryan, Clare (exam waiver/APC)	Approved
Calvert, Casey (exam waiver/APC)	Approved
Canupp, Kimberley (exam waiver/APC)	Approved
Chenoweth, Mary (exam waiver/2 nd review-additional info)	Denied
Daugherty, Amy (exam waiver)	Approved
Dotson, John (exam waiver/APC)	Approved
Evans, David (exam)	Approved
Fox, Holly (exam waiver/APC)	Approved
Fulp, Brenda (exam waiver/APC)	Approved
Grantham, Anisa (exam)	Approved
Henle, Sarah (exam waiver/APC)	Approved
Jackson, Madriga (exam waiver/APC)	Approved
Johnson, C. J. (exam waiver/APC/additional info)	Denied
Klias, Stacy (exam)	Approved
Klingenberg, Jennifer (exam)	Denied
Livingston, David (exam waiver/APC)	Denied
McKenna, Carlton (exam)	Approved
McWilliams, J'Netra (exam waiver/APC)	Approved
Meeks, Bill (exam waiver/APC)	Approved
Messick-Watkins, Mary (exam)	Back in October
Michaels, Janice (exam waiver/APC)	Approved
Montgomery, Ellen (exam waiver)	Approved
Neal, Ben (exam waiver/APC)	Approved
Oseni, Renea (exam)	Approved
Parker, Rose (exam)	Make appt for interview
Pfeifer, Glenn (endorsement or exam waiver)	Approved
Reyes, Pamela (exam waiver/APC)	Approved
Sams, Cassandra (exam waiver/APC)	Approved
Sorrells, Stephen (exam)	Approved
Story, Teresa (exam)	Denied
Sutherland, Alvin (exam waiver/APC)	Approved
Todd, Judy (exam waiver/APC)	Approved
Turpin, Laura (exam)	Approved
Wilbanks, Deana (exam waiver/APC/2 nd review)	Approved
Wilson, Deborah (exam/2 nd review)	Denied
Wilson, Thomas (exam waiver/APC)	Approved
Wuttke, Amy (exam waiver)	Approved

Motion Lenard, seconded Evans and motion carried, to accept the **Social Workers Standards Report.**
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MASTER SOCIAL WORKER EXAMINATION WAIVER

Albert, Meredith	Approved	McGinnis, Monica	Approved
Bledsoe, Gabrielle	Approved	McGrath, Aylssa	Approved
Booker, Ebony	Approved	Miller, Gina	Approved
Brown, Radisha	Approved	Morgan, Kelly	Approved
Chaffee, Erin	Approved	Phillips, Allison	Approved
Christenson, Amanda	Approved	Riley, Reginald	Additional
Cline, Christopher	Approved		Info needed
Gardner, Dannielle	Approved	Roberts, Beda	Approved
Gilbert, Rita (Reactivate)	Approved	Stafford- Tritch, Sherry	Approved
Gleen, Courtney	Additional Info Needed	Steele, Shannon	Approved
Herron, Jeri	Approved	Tomberlin, Toni	Approved
James, Stephanie	Approved	Wilbanks, Tammy	Approved
Jones, Monique	Approved	Woodward, Virginia	Approved
McDougal, Kelly	Approved	Yun, Sung Hyun	Approved

CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER EXAMINATION

Albriton, Christy	Approved	Midkiff, Martha	Approved
Armenia, Deena	Approved	Morton, Elizabeth	Approved
Bronfman, Darrin	Approved	Ng, Jodie	Approved
Cox, Tanita	Approved	O'Shields, Allison	Approved
Duncan, Kenyada	Approved	Spinale, Jay	Approved
Fowler, Petrina	Approved	Thorpe, Wendy	Approved
Green, Sha-Rhonda	Approved	Williams, Ann	Approved
Hein, Elizabeth	Approved	Windley, Glen	Approved

CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER EXAMINATION WAIVER

Claypool, Ann	Denied	Mesrobian, Diana	Approved
Copulsky, Peggy	Approved	Robinson, Bernard	Approved
Draine, Elizabeth	Approved	Rohan, Elizabeth	Approved
Gentry, Lindsay	Denied	Waddles, Perry	Denied
Harmon, Dominique	Approved	Van Uum, Jathleen	Approved
McCants, Kitina	Approved		

CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER REACTIVATION

Galyon, Carolyn	Denied	Reed, Sally	Approved
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CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER REINSTATEMENT

Hurst, Sandra	Denied
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INTERVIEWS

Cable, Silva CSW	Needs to submit additional information
Mosher, Jodi CSW	Approved

MASTER SOCIAL WORKER EXAMINATION WAIVER

Barnett, Anna	Approved	Hawley, Melinda	Denied
Boone, Ronald	Approved	Leiner, Elizabeth	Approved
Boyd, Mary	Approved	Mitchell, Jacquelyn	Approved
Brooks, Karlene	Approved	Perry, Elan	Approved
Casey, Catherine	Approved	Pride, Natalie	Approved
Coppola, Claudia	Approved	Recinos, Yaris	Approved
Doversberger, Samantha	Approved	Riley, Reginald	Approved
Dyer, Christina	Approved	Robinson, Sonya	Approved
Ezzo, Nicole	Approved	Rodriguez, Laura	Approved
Garner, Cary	Approved	Stevens, Amanda	Approved
Glenn, Courtney	Approved	Stubbs, Wynefred	Approved
Gray, Alicia	Approved	Wright, Renee	Approved
Greene, Jennifer	Approved		

CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER EXAMINATION

Collier, Travia	Approved
Davis, Grace (2 nd review/additional info rec.)	Denied
Graffunder, Phillip	Approved
Johnson, LaTara	Hold until Oct meeting
Jones, Robert	Denied
Kennedy, Tasha	Denied
Leitman, Jill	Approved
Murphree, Angela Shelby	Approved
Ohuoba, Christian (2 nd review/additional info. rec)	Denied
Oseroff, Keira	Approved
Springer, Donna	Approved
Whitfield, Sherman (2 nd review/additional info. rec)	Approved
Williams, GiGi Nicole	Denied

CLINICAL SOCIAL WORKER EXAMINATION WAIVER

Averett, Tegrin (2 nd review/request reevaluation)	Denied
Draine, Elizabeth (2 nd review/additional info rec.)	Approved
Pryor, Rose Marie	Approved
Reeder, Angela	Approved
Robinson, Yvette	Denied
Straw, Piper	Approved
Young, Naomi	Denied

VOTE ON INVESTIGATIVE COMMITTEE REPORT

Motion Groh, seconded Syfert and motion carried, to accept the recommendations of the Investigative Committee.

ADJOURNMENT

Motion Groh, and seconded Evans and motion carried, to adjourn the meeting at 2:05 p.m.

Patricia R. Harwell, MFT, Chair
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